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SUBJ: MAP EXCHANGE

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1. ONCE AGAIN COLONEL SAHNI CALLED FOR A MEETING ON THE MAP EXCHANGE AND TURNED OVER TEN COPIES EACH OF EIX SURVEY OF INDIA STATE MAPS, 1:1,000,000 SCALE, ALL OF WHICH YOU HAVE RECEIVED BEFORE THROUGH VARIOUS SOURCES. SAHNI'S PROVISION OF THESE SMALL SCALE MAPS, AS WELL AS THOSE MENTIONED IN REF A, IS HIS IDEA OF CONTINUING THE EXISTING ARRANGEMENT WITHOUT RECOGNIZING THERE WAS EVER A HIATUS OR ANY NEW DEVELOPMENTS TO BE CONSIDERED. ON ONE HAND, WE DON'T BELIEVE WE SHOULD DISCOURAGE SAHNI'S REVIVED ATTEMPT TO CONTINUE THE EXCHANGE VIA THE SMALL SCALE MAP ROUTE, BUT ON THE OTHER, THE INFORMAL LETTER FROM INR/MP, WHICH WAS RECOMMENDED IN REF A AND MENTIONED IN REF B, SEEMS TO DEMAND A CERTAIN URGENCY IF WE WANT TO OBTAIN THE SURVEY OF INDIA LARGE-SCALE MAP SHEETS AS INDICATED IN REF A.

2. REPRODUCTION MATERIAL AND PROOF COPIES SHOULD PRESENT NO PARTICULAR PROBLEMS FOR SAHNI. PLEASE INCLUDE THIS INFORMATION IN THE LETTER. ALSO, AS INDICATED IN REF B, YOUR PLANNED SUBSTITUTION OF A SHEET ALONG THE TRIPOINT WITH NEPAL SEEMS TO BE AN EXCELLENT SUGGESTION VIS-A-VIS OUR PLANNED RELEASE OF THE JOGS TO NEPAL.

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